

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	William J. Taylor	Examiner:	Joseph Stoklosa
Serial No.	10/661,919	Group Art:	3762
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Title:	FEEDTHROUGH APPARATUS WITH NOBLE METAL-COATED LEADS		

AMENDMENT

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Commissioner of Patents
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Sir,

Responsive to the Office Action dated October 9, 2007, please enter the following Amendment and reconsider the claimed invention. Additionally, Applicants respectfully request that an extension of time be granted to response to the Office Action. Any deficiencies may be credited to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.